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In order to keep an important of agent who has penetrated the activity of Western Germany. Therefore I planned the case as follows: Because of the events mentioned above the plan has changed. You can receive promptly from me all necessary supplementary information about the case of Spinn. I request any possible questions. It would be very desirable to initiate action in the case of Spinn immediately because at present he has not yet assimilated himself in North Korea and the possibility exists to steer the necessary contact to him.

ACTION: I still consider the information about this matter extraordinarily important, even if you have "downgraded" (degraded) it. This is right in the end will be proved in the near future. As already reported, ACTION is being unfolded at present on the political level. It is supposed to be constantly accelerated up to the Summit Conference. The fire of Fascist hate in the Federal Republic, into which the KGB knows how to pour gasoline through its own channels, is supposed to take on an anti-American accent in the near future as well as be connected with strikes and demonstrations planned by the KPD (trans: West German Communist Party). As soon as ACTION transfers to the realm of intelligence it can be connected to the "fact", that the AIS is well informed about the activity of the fascists and in fact has an interest in such activity. I have learned the following: 1) a Nazi cadre organization, which is "inspired" and "directed" by SIS penetration agents, has been active for years. This organization, which works out of the darkness above all through "inspiration" (inspiration), has various bases in the Federal apparatus and also "inspires" various legal radical political organizations in the Federal Republic, such as the RPD (trans: Deutsche Arbeiterpartei). The Federal government took advantage-for tactical political reasons-of legal possibilities, but these were intercepted by the KGB and puffed up and stretched out in a compromising fashion. The propaganda agitation to date has also been further artificially developed by the KGB and SPD through illegal members of the KPD as well as SIS agents (above all in respect to "painting"). I would now like to clarify and make as concrete as possible the allegations which were already mentioned in Report 9 of November 59. I unfortunately cannot make any overall (kapitalen) statements and there is little likelihood that I will be able to do this in the future. In the following I would like to report to you succinctly various "mosaic" pieces which I have been able to learn over a long period. At the same time I would like to emphasize expressly that a number of these are based only on one source and have not been checked by me. The matter, however, is too serious to omit even the smallest thing which could be of the greatest importance. I will therefore sort out the information about the Nazi cadre organization and give it the code word "HACKER". It may be that I will be able to learn further details.

"HACKER": Historical introduction: At the end of 1943, in view of the approaching defeat of the Third Reich, the NSDAP boss, ROHMANN began to build up a secret Nazi cadre organization unknown to HITLER and other Nazi bosses.

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NAZI WAR CRIMES DISCLOSURE ACT

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Postwar periods: After the war the MGB worked on HACKE in two directions primarily: the maximum investigation of it and the maximum infiltration of MGB agents. HACKE expanded organizationally around 1947-1948 and this opportunity was exploited. The case was all the more important to the MGB because HACKE had kept alive the old Nazi slogan, "Fight the Jews and plutocrats in the USA", and had as a goal the founding of a Fourth Reich, and thus was always hostile to America as well and has remained so. In 1950 in Danzig (Poland) the former

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Smileiter FOMSTER was sentenced to death as a war criminal. The sentence, however, was not carried out up to 1952. According to MILLER's reports FOMSTER was a member of HACKE. Representatives of the V.B. as well as representatives of the former MRP interrogated FOMSTER continuously after his death sentence (above & the notorious chief of the Investigation Department, Colonel KOZANSKI, who was sentenced in 1957) in order to squeeze out of FOMSTER information about HACKE among other things. FOMSTER did not withstand the pressure of imminent death which lasted almost two years (a few times he was led out to his execution which then did not take place) and told everything he knew. Immediately after he began to talk around the middle of 1952 he was taken out of the Damsig prison by special representatives of the MGB from Moscow and was taken to Moscow in a special plane. Since that time all traces of FOMSTER have vanished and it is not clear whether he still lives today, or was executed, or "escaped" from the Soviet Union as an MGB agent in order to play his role in HACKE. At the time of the trial of the former Smileiter KOCH in Warsaw, General KOZAK learned that KOCH had been kept so long in the Soviet Union in order to squeeze information about HACKE out of him too, but this did not fully succeed so they tried to put pressure on KOCH by means of the trial. It allegedly turned out that KOCH actually knew something about HACKE but he himself was not a member. Circa 1947 the former Department I (now II) and Department VII (now I) recruited in West Germany the veteran Abwehr and Gestapo officer, KASZUBOWSKI aka LARSEN. LARSEN had been spotted by the ABAKUMOW agent, the chief of the main STAPO office (Stapoleitstelle) in Danzig, Major LOEIGIN, who had been "doubled" by the MGB around 1943 and formerly was a close collaborator of LARSEN. The agent KASZUBOWSKI aka LARSEN was run with great success for a long time by the retired Major ROGULSKI or ROZULSKI (mentioned in report 8 or 9, 1959) (OMEGA) who is now in the Polish Mission in Bern, Switzerland. However, in this connection an action took place which is typical for the activity of the red IS. KASZUBOWSKI aka LARSEN built up such a good position in West Germany because of his earlier Gestapo activity which had been awarded with the Iron Cross 1st Class that he was considered for the leading position in the RfV which was being organized at that time. This was contrary to the plans of ABAKUMOW who had already prepared and pushed forward his own agent (who belonged to HACKE) for this post. This agent (whose name is unknown but who can be easily identified by you) is supposed to have had even greater "merits", to have been more intelligent than K. and in ABAKUMOW's opinion to be more secure than K. An argument broke out between the MGB and the MRP. At that time the MGB was naturally stronger and therefore because of pressure by KENIA and General BERBARODOW I was arrested around 1951 (approximately, another source says 1952) at a contact with ROGULSKI in Berlin, was transferred to Warsaw and was locked in prison there as a war criminal. He was allegedly in prison for about 5 years without a trial, was released around 1956 or 1957 and repatriated to West Germany. In this way the agent of ABAKUMOW had a free path - without competition from other agents - but it turned out later that ABAKUMOW's plan went wrong and the agent who had been planned for the leading

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position in the RZ could not get the job (but other KGB agents did succeed in this.) Before KASZUBOWSKI's release the Russians tried to win him for further activity in the Federal Republic, but he laughed at them. Therefore Poles (Department II) associated with him and after a long fight and von KASZUBOWSKI said he was ready to continue working for Germany at in no case for the Russians. Thus K. is still a "T" agent of Department II, but in reality directed by the KGB Chief Directorate II of General GUTBANK. After K., who is a most experienced officer, has become socialized and has proved by his activity that he is secure, the KGB plans to steer him towards DIXE and to exploit him there. This is naturally a hypothetical plan which is supposed to take place after a long time. In my opinion it is not difficult to work on K. and to interrogate him. He undoubtedly has a complex because he knows that he was kept practically innocent in prison for years upon the orders of the Soviets. In case he may have reported fragmentarily after his return to West Germany please don't allow yourselves to be led astray because this could have been by instruction of Department II for the purpose of "winning confidence." After the scandal with K. Major KOSIUSKI tendered his resignation, was released from Department VII and entered the diplomatic service. According to my investigation he is not active now as an intelligence officer. Formerly, however, he ran very important agents also in the US) and therefore it would be useful to investigate him in respect to counter-espionage. The information about KASZUBOWSKI has been checked by me. One of the dark and dangerous KGB figures in HADE is the famous SS Colonel SKORZENY who presently lives in Madrid and also works for the Spanish IS. SKORZENY was under active development by ABAKUMOW as early as 1942. Further details are neither known here, nor have those which are known been checked. He was allegedly (only one source) "doubled" by ABAKUMOW during the war. There was a period, however, when he was suspected by the MVD of playing a "double game." In the opinion of a former high ST chief in Poland who used to work very closely with RESBANDOW, SKORZENY was finally recruited (reformat) as a collaborator of ABAKUMOW in the middle of 1944, and shortly before the end of the war, through clever maneuvers which exploited the stupidity of the NSDA chief, KALTENBRUNNER, was appointed chief for a short period of the Nazi military IS. Through these maneuvers ABAKUMOW planned above all to catch in time and exploit for himself the Nazi Abwehr agents in America and South America. One of the most dangerous methods of ABAKUMOW was the IS work "under a foreign flag" which has been brought to the point of perfection today by the KGB. To what extent ABAKUMOW succeeded in this plan is not clear, but it is certain that in 1955-1956 the KGB had a few excellent agents in America who had come from the repertoire of the Nazi ST (Ast) (CANARIS). Naturally SKORZENY has tremendous connections to "old Nazi fighters" (alte Nazi-Kämpfer) and if my facts are true he is an extremely dangerous boy. I could only learn two clues which serve as slight confirmation of the assertion that SKORZENY is a KGB agent. 1) one of the clandestine contacts of SKORZENY in the Federal Republic is a certain HOGAL who lived until 1956 in Frankfurt a/M. HOGAL is Lithuanian or comes from Latvia. According to my investigation he is a principal agent of KGB Chief Directorate II. HOGAL formerly (until 1944) (transl: sic, presumably 1944 is meant) had contact with an AIS officer,

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1. HANSEN, Rad Wildungen, Ottenbergstrasse 1. HANSEN allegedly ran an IS section working against the Soviet Baltic countries. A co-worker of ROOAL and at the same time a KGB agent is a certain Colonel JANNENS (or something similar) who is Lithuanian. A close contact existed and allegedly exists today between SKOZENY and HANSEN. 2) Karl HUEL, around 50 years old, works for SKOZENY for the Spanish IS in the Federal Republic. A personal friend of SKOZENY. Took part with SKOZENY in the "liberation" of MUSSOLINI. HUEL worked a long time for the French, during the time he had to hide under false documents from your service. Yet even before the French, MGB Russians grabbed him by the collar and recruited him - therefore he has played a double role in the French IS. In 1951 ABRAKIMOW learned through HUEL of a Vatican plan to free the Hungarian Cardinal MINDSZENTY from prison and smuggle him to the West. Colonel SKOZENY and HUEL were supposed to take part in this plan. ABRAKIMOW, however, planned to "liberate" MINDSZENTY through SKOZENY and HUEL, to shoot him "during flight", as proof of the connection of the Cardinal and Vatican with his Fascists to shoot HUEL too, and to allow SKOZENY, whom he valued higher, "to escape". Somehow HUEL smelt the plot at a contact with ABRAKIMOW's special representatives, and to be sure, because of fear of ABRAKIMOW, did not warn SKOZENY out and withdrew from the planned action. Since this time the cooperation of HUEL with the MGB has "stuttered" and later the contact is supposed to have been broken off for a long time. It is not known whether contact exists at present. Thus the "Cardinal" plan fell through. It is certain that SKOZENY is active in HAKKE. Whether today he is currently working for the KGB is absolutely possible but not certain, according to my investigation so far. In any event it is certainly worthwhile to take a close look at such bloodhounds as SKOZENY.

I also have various facts of a lesser format but have to analyze them thoroughly before I give them to you. Otherwise the danger exists that you will again take me for a dealer in "canards". I will do everything within my capabilities to make possible further reports about HAKKE. It is, however, for me as well as for you, no easy field of investigation. However, I warn you very seriously about this dangerous conglomeration of brown-red Fascists who unexpectedly one day can cause enormous damage and who are an acute danger to the free world and to peace. It is indeed regrettable that outside of HAKKE itself so many potential HAKKE ideologists are running around today in West Germany who are only waiting for the opportunity to transform the old Hitler slogans into reality. In my opinion American politicians are in many cases much too decent to recognize the slyness, deceit, hypocrisy and true aims of such bloodhounds. In my opinion this can be learned only from objective and hard counter-espionage work. I am prepared to support you in this respect as far as I can. This is doubtlessly a very difficult and complicated affair. I ask you urgently to exploit the HAKKE information with the greatest caution. The circle of the appropriately "initiated" is very limited. In no case do I want to make you mistrustful of your partners. I have, however, definite

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reasons to state that if you were to use the RIV for the investigation of this matter you would be making a watchdog out of a wolf (transl.: den Hock was Gaertner machen). This is a "Trojan Horse" in which only the devil knows what is going on. When too many foreign agents and collaborators are in such an organization naturally nothing good comes out of it. By this is meant not only the Eastern agents, but also the English, French, Dutch, Belgian agents, etc. NAXX too has a strong sphere of influence there.

I have various clues at present about agent activity in the RIV. I will take pains, however, to get down to concrete facts in the near future. I am afraid that these concrete facts will not be very gratifying. You can unquestionably throw my warning in the waste paper basket. In spite of such an eventuality I see myself duty bound to urge the greatest caution in intelligence contacts on the territory of (transl. or in respect to, "auf dem Gebiet") the Federal Republic. If you take my warning seriously you will be protected from unexpected and unpleasant surprises. It may be that it is not at all necessary to have to convince you of this so strongly. This would be gratifying.

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Three planned operations have the purpose of investigating and eliminating various members of the Red IS during operational and illegal sojourns in the West. Permit me to set forth for you now various suggestions in addition to various facts, which in my opinion, might be helpful for you. I do not in any case intend to lecture you but I consider it very important to illuminate various measures according to my judgment because these are closely related to the modus operandi of the IS officers.

UN-1: is being actively prepared (details later).

UN-2: Very important and urgent because of the forthcoming required operational measures. As already reported, "BETA" WISCHULEWSKI, aka LIEBERMAN, aka GIERACH (other details already forwarded) who is already well-known to you, is supposed to come to the West in the very near future to carry out intelligence missions. He has already planned an illegal trip to Vienna twice at the end of 1959 but each time gave the plan up. From tested information which came directly (only one contact was between) from THE SSO Col. FRUCH, - LIEBERMAN - "FRUCH" - is supposed to go to Vienna illegally in the course of February (after the 15th) or in the course of March 1960 for the fulfillment of important CI and IS missions of the SSO and KGB-Karlshorst. In Vienna he is supposed to contact exclusively illegal IS members and the most important agents. A photograph of his face and apparently other photos as well is already in your hands. I am now trying to find out the illegal route as well as the approximate time of the trip. This is all possible and realistic. I will only not be able to determine (also in other UN cases) the type of false passport, nor the false names of the illegals or of FRUCH. With some exceptions,